

RUSSIAN GOVERNMENT DEFEATED BUT WILL NOT RESIGN

Motion of Want of Confidence Passes Lower House but Will be Ignored by the Ministry

St. Petersburg, May 30.—The Lower House passed a motion of want of confidence in the ministry. This brings matters to a crisis and the only constitutional course is for the Ministry to resign or dissolve Parliament and hold a new election.

St. Petersburg May 30.—As foreboded in the statement made by Minister of Agriculture Stuchinsk, the Government had decided on its course of action with reference to the vote of lack of confidence in the Lower House and its demand for the resignation of the Ministry. It will swallow Parliament's affront and treat its resolution

simply as a declaration beyond its competency and consequently as not binding upon the monarch. In other words the Government has decided to ignore the demand of the Lower House and the Ministry will not resign but neither will Parliament be dissolved. Moreover, instead of treating the action of the Lower House, as a cause of offence, the Ministry will continue its conciliatory attitude in hope that the storm will subside, and unless Parliament takes some revolutionary action the original plan of prolonging the summer vacation at the end of June will be carried out.

John Ross Property Sold

Another high level in real estate was reached this morning, when W. H. Gardner of Winnipeg and Mr. Hoies, of Duluth bought the John Ross and Sons property on Jasper avenue for \$40,000. The property in question has

a fifty foot frontage. The purchase was made purely as an investment. The purchasers have spent several days looking over the real estate situation in Edmonton and consider that at the present prices it offers advantageous investment.

Warehouse for McCready

Plans were filed at the city offices this morning for a warehouse for the James McCready shoe concern, which adds another wholesale establishment to Edmonton's growing list.

The warehouse which is to be built between Peace and Athabasca on the east side of the street, backing up to the proposed C.N.R. switch, will be a two-story frame building 40x66, costing \$13,900. R. W. Hill is the builder.

Football To-night

The Edmonton Football Club will play a friendly game with the Strathcona eleven on the "Second street grounds" this evening, the game commencing at 7.15.

The league games of the Alberta Football League will commence shortly, and the first one will be played in about two weeks. The league includes teams from all over the province.

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SCHOOL BOARD MAKES A KICK

Objects to Having Education at Norwood Mixed with Odors from the Nuisance Grounds

For the third or fourth time within the year the School Board registered a vigorous kick with the city council last night about the conditions at the Norwood school, which were described as unsanitary, dangerous to the public health and altogether unfit for the pupils. The main point of grievance was the aroma caused by the piggery at Rat Creek, the stench caused by burning refuse on the nuisance grounds although "the other nuisances" were referred to, meaning the houses of ill fame which are close to the school.

The matter was before the council last winter in the form of a petition by the ratepayers of that section of the town, asking that the piggery and nuisance ground nuisance be abated, and that the heavy houses be removed. The council passed a resolution instructing the commissioners to have the nuisances abated. Nothing has been done, although Commissioner Kinneard reported a couple of meetings later that the notorious element was "practically out of business." With regard to the piggery and the nuisance ground there was no change. The conditions recently, it is reported, are becoming well nigh intolerable, and the attendance at the Norwood school, which has recently become very large, has been dropping from day to day. Last night Dr. Ferris, representing the School Board, addressed the council, pointing out that although they had asked some time ago to have conditions set right at the Norwood school nothing had yet been done and that parents would not send their children to such a place. The piggery on the banks of Rat Creek caused an insupportable stench and caused the school to be infected with flies. He asked that these nuisances, and the other nuisances referred to, be eradicated absolutely.

Principal Russell corroborated what Dr. Ferris had said, and stated that quite a number of pupils were being kept away from school on account of the nuisances. Ald. Griesbach asked the city collector what power the city had in the matter of the piggery. The collector said he thought the city could make them remove. Mr. Griesbach asked Dr. Ferris if the pigs were still in the piggery. The Dr. said that he could not get his horse to go anywhere near the piggery and consequently he did not know. Ald. Bellamy pointed out that there was a by-law and asked why it was not enforced. Commissioner Kinneard said that the piggery had been established at a time when that part was not in the city limits. Ald. Griesbach asked if the city had not power to force the owners of the piggery to remove the pigs at once. The collector said that it had. Ald. Griesbach said it should not require a motion to secure an enforcement of the by-law, but he moved and Ald. Manson seconded that the health officials be instructed to take such steps as were necessary to have the nuisance abated. Ald. Picard moved an amendment that the owners of the piggery be given notice to remove the pigs, failing which the city would forcibly remove them. The motion was put and passed.

TO INVESTIGATE THE CHARGES

Special Meeting of the Council Called for Friday Night to Inquire Into Isolation Hospital Question

At the city council meeting last night the aldermen made arrangements for a special meeting of the council for Friday night which will resolve itself into a court of enquiry to inquire into the whole matter of the isolation hospital and discover what the real conditions are, what they have been and who, if anyone is to blame.

The Dr. McGibbon case came up in the shape of a letter from the city collector which was in the nature of a report. Mr. Beck said that as the McGibbon letter had been referred to him and as he had no instructions, he presumed that he was expected to gather whatever information was available. He had found a great conflict of statement. He did not advise that the council should take any criminal or civil action. Any of the city officials had the right to take such action if they choose to do so in respect of the charges made by Dr. McGibbon. He pointed out that under the charter amendments there was a clause empowering the council to make the fullest enquiry. He believed it lay with the council rather than with himself as to whether an investigation should be held. In answer to Alderman Bellamy, Mr. Beck said that the amendments empowered the city to hold the enquiry before a judge if necessary. Alderman Smith said an enquiry should be made at once and that it would take too long to wait until a judge would have the time to hold an enquiry. He moved that the council hold a special meeting to fully look into the charges made against the city officials summoning all witnesses and hearing all the evidence. Alderman Griesbach wanted the council to declare before it started what the points were to be investigated. He wanted to know what the charges were that were to be inquired into and how wide the investigations were to be. He said that he never knew a case where the accused did not find himself guilty. He was rather of the opinion that the council was to a certain extent to blame.

Alderman Manson said the statements were too sweeping to go unnoticed. He seconded Alderman Smith's motion. Alderman Griesbach moved for a committee of three, Alderman Bellamy, Latia and Smith, the city collector to prepare the questions. On a division the amendment was defeated and the motion carried. The date set for the meeting was Friday evening next. The city collector was instructed to notify the witnesses and to have them ready to appear before the council on Friday evening.

A REVOLUTION IN THE TROPICS

Armed Insurrection Against President Cabrera of Guatemala

Mexico City, May 30.—Advices from Tapachula and Tonala, in the Mexican state of Chiapas, show that a revolution is on against the administration of President Estrada Cabrera of Guatemala. The revolution broke out yesterday and Guatemala was invaded at four points by as many bodies of armed men, all equipped with modern rifles.

FREIGHT TARIFF RE-ARRANGED

Shippers Placed on an Equal Footing with Calgary Shippers

At the Board of Trade meeting yesterday afternoon the long standing matter of the freight tariff on the C. & E. was brought up and the following most satisfactory telegram was read from H. H. Abbott, assistant general freight and traffic manager of the C. P. R. at Calgary: "Mr. Peters, of the C. P. R. is issuing a tariff from Strathcona, making the rates south of Red Deer on the same basis as those which apply from Calgary north of that point."

In other words, this means that the rates from Strathcona to points south of Red Deer will be upon the same basis as the rates on freight from Calgary to points north of Red Deer. This practically grants the request of the Board of Trade, made some time ago.

The matter of the visit of the Canadian Press Association to Edmonton was also spoken of, and it was decided to refer the matter to the city council with an offer of co-operation on the part of the Board in entertaining the Association. Mr. Dowdall spoke of the inadequate mail service on the C. N. R., and thought that Mr. Oliver should be again reminded of the condition of affairs and be asked to urge the matter on the post office department. A motion was passed to the effect that Mr. Oliver be wired to urge the matter.

THE WEATHER

Barometer	30.8
Minimum	44
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LOCAL BOARD OF TRADE HAS SEVERAL RESOLUTIONS

Board Yesterday Adopted Resolutions for Submission to Convention of Western Boards Next Month

The most important feature of the board of trade meeting yesterday afternoon was the passing of a string of resolutions drawn up by the council of the board and which will be presented by the Edmonton delegates at the third annual convention of western boards of trade, which will be held in Edmonton in June.

Resolution No. 1 asks that the commercial interests of the provinces of Alberta and Saskatchewan be identical and as the commercial laws had always been the same it was highly desirable that they remain identical and that the governments of both provinces appoint a commission to accomplish this.

Resolution 2 is in connection with the laying out of town sites by various railway companies. It represents that a large number of townsites are now being laid out and will be laid out by projected railways, and as it was of the utmost importance that the sites be laid with a view to securing proper water facilities and drainage, the Government provide that no townsite should be laid out until approved by the Lieutenant-Governor in council, and plans prepared showing water and drainage and plans for parks.

Resolution 3 asks that as the country roads are receiving but little attention, and that a good deal of the grading was temporary, the Provincial Government be asked to appoint commissioners.

Resolution 4 is made up of two resolutions which will be consolidated. They were in regard to timber lands in Alberta. In brief the resolution stated that on the east slope of the mountains and in the foothills of Alberta there were extensive timber

areas. From the 49th meridian to the 54th there was practically 25,000,000 acres producing about 30,000 feet of timber per acre. It recommends that the Dominion and Provincial Government take steps to prevent the new timber.

The other part of the resolution endorses the action taken by the Dominion Government in establishing forest reserves in Manitoba, and expresses the hope that the action will be extended to Alberta. It also urges upon the Government the importance of the proper protection of the woods in Northern Alberta. It recommends that the Dominion Government take steps to learn the extent of the timber in Canada, and to bring the whole of it under the forestry regulations.

Resolution five is in regard to the agencies law. It asks that the agencies law be codified. A great deal of money was being invested through agents and it was highly desirable that corporations and others be protected by the disclosure by agencies of their objects of investment.

Resolution six requests and recommends that as municipal ownership of enterprises was now becoming general, that as it is highly desirable that municipal industries be under the management of the most efficient man, and that under the management of commissioners the municipal enterprises were likely to prove successful, the Government should establish a course of training in the provincial university which would qualify men for the management of such enterprises.

Resolution No. 7 recommends that as the housing of enterprises proved a burden on the tax-payer, and that other

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Motion to Adjourn Came While Council Were Considering Engineer's Report

A motion to adjourn terminated matters at the city council meeting last night when the aldermen were just in the act of giving City Engineer Keeley power to go ahead and get the city done in his own way.

The motion before the council was that the men the seven whose pay was withheld be ordered paid and that the engineer be empowered to carry out the work of his department in the manner that he sees fit.

Ald. Latta had just made the motion when Alderman Picard said, "Times up, gentlemen. I move we adjourn."

"Time is not up," said Ald. Griesbach. "I second the motion."

The whole council was comparing watches and talking at once when Mayor May said that an Alderman Picard objected to going on the council would have to stand adjourned.

The engineer question came up when reports were reached in the regular order of business. Ald. Griesbach asked if there were any reports to submit to the council.

Secretary-Treasurer suggested that the council might want to proceed with the old business before taking up the later reports. Ald. Griesbach called for the city engineer's report.

"While the particular report you refer to?" asked the secretary-treasurer blandly.

Ald. Griesbach said that the council had asked the city engineer to report as to the number of men employed in his department. He would like to hear that report.

The secretary-treasurer had some difficulty in finding the report, but produced it after a while.

"Will you please read it?" Ald. Griesbach.

he secretary read the report. It showed 125 men employed by the city and four or five teams. The principal items in the report were: Superintendent of construction \$480 per day; stockkeeper \$2.75; superintendent of plank sidewalk construction, \$3.00; superintendent of cement construction, \$3.00; engineer of road roller \$2.75; two laborers repairing and at first \$2.75 and one at \$1.75; 15 laborers on service connections; one man at \$2.25; street numbering and five at \$2.25; 221 laborers brushing at \$1.50 and road at \$2.50; a few men and teams boulevarding in the west end and the rear of the city; and one man at \$1.75 and one stenographer at \$1.50, all of whom the engineer had employed and put to work.

Ald. Griesbach wanted the engineer to answer the questions, telling what these men were doing.

Engineer Keeley went over the report item by item, telling what work was done in each case and what the different men and crews were doing.

In referring to the office staff he said that he had found it necessary to put on a leveler, a clerk or office man to record his work, and a rod man to work with him, in order that he would get the levels of the city and properly record them. He said that he found that there had been elevations given in all parts of the city and no record kept of them. These men were as needed to make a proper record of the location of the water and sewer mains, the service connections and all other work. The city had no record at the present time and if it did not get one it would soon get into serious trouble.

Ald. Picard—"You say that no records of the city work have been kept?"

Engineer Keeley—"I will recall that there were records. What I mean to say was that there were not what I would consider proper plans."

At this juncture Secretary Kinnaird went into the adjoining room and returned with a large book which he said gave records and plans of the service connections installed in the city.

The mayor asked—"Have you seen the book before?"

"No, sir," replied the city engineer. "I have never seen it until this minute."

Ald. May asked if the book produced contained all the plans, records and information necessary.

Secretary Kinnaird said the purpose of the book was to keep a file of the plans of the connections, with the information on the margins.

"Is the information on the margin?" asked Ald. May.

Secretary Kinnaird—"Yes, there is information on the margin."

Ald. May—"Is all the information on the margin?"

Secretary Kinnaird—"No; the engineer did not enter it all up."

Ald. May—"Are you referring to the present engineer or the past?"

Secretary Kinnaird—"Both."

Ald. Griesbach—"I would like to ask the engineer if since this report was asked for any difficulty has arisen as to payment of any of these men?"

City Engineer—"Yes; seven of them do not receive their pay on Saturday evening last."

Ald. Griesbach—"Will you please give the names?"

The city engineer gave the names and the positions the men occupied.

Mayor May, to Secretary Kinnaird—"Why did these men not get their pay?"

Secretary Kinnaird—"Mr. Keeley had not applied to the Commissioners for an authorization to place men on the payroll—in fact had not consulted us about the matter at all—and these men did not appear to correspond with the recommendations contained in the report adopted at the last meeting. We therefore thought it best to refuse payment until the matter was straightened up. If the council wanted to pay them, all right."

Ald. Latta said that as he understood the report the engineer was to have the hiring of the men under him.

Engineer Keeley said he had asked some four weeks ago for the privilege to employ some other men, but for some reason the report was not read in council. If he had not acted by employing men and putting them on the work would not have been done.

Ald. Griesbach—"It was my impression that there was a regulation that the permanent staff was to be employed by the council and the day laborers by the commissioners. That being so, and then an engineer being appointed, it appears to me that that is a right that the commissioners might well have delegated to the engineer. It appears to me that had the engineer not kept a pretty stiff upper lip it would have resulted in the work not being done."

Secretary Kinnaird—"The commissioners did not refuse to delegate the power. We were simply not asked."

Mr. Keeley—"I take the ground that a foreman should have the right to employ the men that are required and I should have the right to employ the men I want."

Mr. Hargreaves said that there had been no friction on any bond between the city engineer and himself.

Ald. Griesbach said that the city was paying the engineer the largest salary of any man in the city and the public was looking to the city engineer for results, and if he interpreted the public opinion correctly the people would like to see some interference by the commissioners which would hamper him in his work.

Ald. Bellamy wanted to know who was the head of the city, the engineer or the commissioners.

Before this question was replied to Ald. Latta made his motion and Ald. Picard moved the adjournment.

Mr. Moran, who said he represented the Chicago Chronicle, addressed the council last night asking them to take up a line of publicity for the purpose of attracting the attention of business men of his country to the resources of Edmonton. He offered to prepare an introductory article dealing in generalities for his paper gratis and follow this by a series of specific articles dealing with the manufacturing possibilities, the agricultural resources, etc., extending over several months. He said that there was \$20,000,000 in waiting for investment. He offered to furnish the service at the rate of \$1 a line per insertion.

Ald. Picard stated that this was a motion which would properly come under the charge of the board of trade, and moved that it be referred to them.

Mr. Moran said that he had already found out that the board of trade had no money not already requisitioned.

Ald. Picard said he still maintained that the matter should come through the board of trade. If it came up through their endorsement it might be well then for the council to consider it.

Ald. Latta seconded and the motion passed.

Arthur Mowat, secretary of the San Francisco Relief Fund, wrote enclosing a cheque for \$14.68 which had been gathered at the different banks.

The cheque was ordered returned to Mr. Mowat with the suggestion that it be forwarded to the mayor of San Francisco.

H. R. Mountfield wrote, asking the city to police the exhibition grounds during the fair. He said that it would require 15 men, two of them mounted.

Mayor May said that the understanding was that the Association was to take the expense would be charged to the fair.

Ald. Picard moved and Ald. Bellamy seconded that the petition be granted.

On the matter of the steam laundry which is being built on Fifth street, Mr. Beck reported that in his opinion the city should not attempt to interfere with the establishment of any industry within the city.

Regarding the C. P. R.'s request for a by-law giving the company power to build across Peace and Athabasca, the city solicitor said that the company by the Railway Act required to have leave to cross the streets from the railway commission and failing this could be proceeded against by property owners whose property had been damaged, or, Ald. Picard moved, and Ald. Bellamy seconded, that in his opinion the council should not be prepared to take any action in the matter.

JAPS CAPTURED THE TRADE Eastern mails bring news of friction between the English merchants and the Japanese officials resulting from the difficulty experienced by the former in obtaining access to the markets of Manchuria. It is charged that the Japanese seized the opportunity afforded by their military occupancy of the country to concentrate all the trade in the hands of their own merchants and not only is the country glutted with goods brought in by the Japanese to a point that makes it practically impossible to find openings for European goods, but through their control of the transportation routes in Manchuria and Korea, the Japanese officials are able to discriminate against traders of other nationalities. In one place the Chinese shippers were compelled to load the Japanese have built a bridge across one of the principal streams so low that it can no longer be used by the Chinese boats and the result is that the traffic is diverted entirely to the Japanese owned railways.

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NORWOOD LOTS FOR SALE. Fifty dollars down and ten dollars a month until paid. Apply C. Lenhardt, next old post office. Dy 123-124. pd

FOR SALE. Tent 12x12, 6 ft. walls, 12 oz. duck. Apply R. Worley, P. O., Edmonton. Dy 123-124. pd

PIANO FOR SALE. At a bargain; must be disposed of. Can be seen at shack north west corner of Athabasca and Sixth, evenings. Dy 123-124. pd

FOR SALE. Lots 21, 22, 23, 24, Block 4, River lot 14, Edmonton. Apply Beran Leoh and Cochrane. Dy 9 times pd.

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Two petitions were presented to the council last night, one from the retail merchants of the city and the other from the barbers, asking for early closing bylaws. The merchants' petition, which asks for a 6:30 closing on week nights, was signed by nearly all the merchants of the city. It asks that exceptions be made in the case of drug stores, tobacconists, news agents, fruit and confectionery establishments, and hotels and restaurants, but that all other mercantile establishments be required to close at 6:30 on week nights and 11 o'clock on Saturdays and days preceding holidays.

The barbers' petition, which asked that barber shops be closed at 7 o'clock week nights, and 11 o'clock on Saturday, was signed by all the journeymen of the city and by nine of the eleven proprietors.

Both petitions were granted, and the city solicitor instructed to prepare a bylaw for the council to act on at the next meeting.

"The Holy City" Well Rendered

Gaul's Cantata, "The Holy City" was repeated in the Methodist church last night, receiving in some respects, a better rendering than at the first performance.

The soloists were Mr. F. S. Green, Green, soprano; Mr. L. Kerr (contralto); Dr. A. A. Nichols (tenor) and Mr. C. E. Rae, (bass); while the quartettes were sung by Mrs. Green Miss McAmmond, Messrs J. L. Studholme and C. W. Willis.

The choruses were splendidly sung, throughout the work, "They that sow in Tears" being perhaps the best, though the two big eight-part choruses in the second part, received, a quite satisfactory rendering.

Mr. Hanby had under him, what is probably the finest chorus Edmonton has yet heard; the tone is excellent and the balance perfect, while the music is sung with spirit and vim which it would be difficult to surpass. Miss Crawford proved herself a most capable accompanist, giving full support to the choruses, and never overpowering the soloist.

There was a large audience and a substantial contribution was made to the funds of the public hospital.

Ottawa, May 28.—Rutland Denton, representing Mackenzie & Mann, appeared before the Minister of Railways and asked approval of the route map of the portion of their line to join the James Bay Railway from Sudbury to Bathurst Bay on Lake Superior to connect with the Canadian Northern line at Kashabowie west of Port Arthur. This will give a through line from Edmonton to Toronto. The line north of Lake Superior will run twenty miles back from the C. P. R.

LOCAL BOARD OF TRADE HAS GENERAL RESOLUTIONS
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evils accrue from the practice, the Government of both provinces be petitioned for legislation to prevent the bonusing of railway or other enterprises or to place restriction on the bonusing practice.

Resolution No. 8 asks that the Government of Canada be urged to make the metric system of weights and measures compulsory throughout Canada, and that the Imperial and United States Governments be asked to co-operate.

This was the only resolution to raise an objection. Mr. Webster objected to the word compulsory. He thought that as the system was now permissible in Canada that was as far as it should go. It would be very hard to make a change immediately.

E. B. Edwards, K.C., a new member, thought that the word should be set the pace and that the resolution would at least serve the effect of calling the attention of the Government to the popular feeling in the matter.

Resolution No. 9 refers to the British embargo on cattle from Canada to the effect that the cattle have to be slaughtered ten days after they were landed in Britain. The resolution recommends that as this embargo is working a serious injury to one of Canada's chief productions, the Imperial Government be urged to declare the reasons for placing the embargo on it if it was solely for the purpose of protecting home dealers that a commission be appointed to look into the removing of the embargo.

Resolution ten is to the effect that as there are many acres of land in Western Canada still unsettled for the principle reason that there is lack of transportation facilities, and as settlers are coming in faster than the present facilities or projected railways can handle the Dominion Government offer encouragement to any enterprise which would increase the facilities of transportation through western Canada.

On motion of Messrs. McKenzie and McLennan the whole of the resolutions were read as adopted.

WILL BUILD**THE HOSPITAL**

City Council Adopts Recommendations of Medical Association

While the city council was wrestling with the McGibbon letter last night, the medical men were holding a meeting in the convalescence room next door and adopted a set of resolutions with regard to the site for the hospital.

The meeting was of the members of the Northern Alberta Medical Association and was called on account of the pressing necessity that something should be accomplished in the matter. There was not any great discussion among the medical men. On one point at least they were unanimous without debate and that was that the site below the river bank was not at all suitable. Dr. Ferris said that the site was most unsuitable, and also that it would require a large expenditure to build a road to the property.

Another site had been offered to the city, that of the Edmonton property on Grieson street. The council could purchase this site for \$5000.

This site was objected to by the medical men because there was a great danger of a cave-in, as the site was on the river bank.

The property at Rat Creek, where the nuisance ground is now situated, was discussed. Dr. Park said it would be almost a year before the hospital would be completed, and by that time the water and sewerage extensions would have reached that property, and the site was also the most convenient. There were 25 acres of city property there, and ten acres was sufficient for a site.

The following motions were then passed as resolutions to be presented to the council.

Moved by Dr. Ferris, seconded by Dr. Park that the association recommend that the hospital be built on the city property at Rat Creek, and that the amount which would be otherwise paid for a site be added to the appropriation made by the council for the building, or for the purpose of extensions.

Moved by Dr. Clendinning, seconded by Dr. Ferris, that the city health officer and Dr. Whitelaw, Ternan, Ferris and Park be a committee to act with the provincial architect to prepare plans for the isolation hospital building.

Moved by Dr. McGibbon, that owing to the urgent need, the city council proceed at once to act on the recommendations for an isolation hospital.

Moved by Dr. Smith, seconded by Dr. Wilson, that the area for a site be not less than five acres, to allow separate grounds for the proper convalescence of patients suffering from different diseases.

All these motions were carried unanimously by the meeting, and the medical men proceeded in a body to the council chamber to lay their recommendations before the council.

The resolutions were read, but before taking action Ald. Smith pointed out that the council would have to rescind the motion by which it selected the site down below the river bank. The motion was rescinded unanimously and the medical recommendations taken up.

Dr. Ferris, in speaking on the resolution, said that the members of the medical association, in recommending the Rat Creek site, had considered the question carefully. Several sites were spoken of. The one near the driving park was too small; the Edmonton estate site was unsafe and too expensive; the one selected by the council was absolutely unfitted, as it was altogether unsuitable, and did not afford facilities for the convalescence of the patients. The most necessary feature, he said, for an isolation hospital was a perfect drainage where the sewage could be treated properly as it would never do to allow disease-infected sewage to be drained into a running stream like the Saskatchewan. From the Rat Creek site the drainage would go right into the main sewer, from whence it would be treated in septic tanks and filtration beds before reaching the river. He said he considered the Rat Creek site an excellent one; large grounds, plenty of room for the convalescence, room for enlargement, room for that accommodation if necessary, and splendid drainage.

After a few more questions by the Aldermen the resolutions of the medical men were taken up and adopted seriatim and as a whole.

In closing the matter, Mayor May said the views of the medical men were his views and he hoped that no more time would be lost in supplying the city with an isolation hospital that was commensurate with the requirements.

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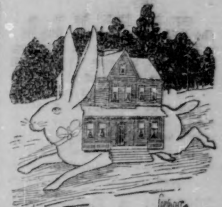
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EDMONTON'S RURAL TELEPHONE LINES.

Commissioner Kinnaird says Edmonton has some long distance telephone lines, but that it is not the purpose of the city to operate a long-distance system, that consequently these lines will be dropped if they do not pay and that it would be money in the pockets of both the Bell Company and the city to connect the long-distance system of the company with the urban system owned by the city.

Edmonton certainly does own some long-distance lines, lines which were not built and have not been operated from purely philanthropic motives for the districts which they traverse, and lines which promise to earn dividends of annually increasing magnitude. That these lines should ever have to be abandoned as non-revenue producing has not been a matter for serious apprehension, nor will it become so unless the business of the district which they traverse is diverted from those lines by competitors. The value of these lines as commercial conveniences and hence as investments is due to their connection with the city system and their business can be diverted only by a competitor having similar connection. The concluding clause of the agreement with the Machine Telephone Co. binds the city to admit such competitor to the field of the city's already existing long-distance lines on equal footing with those lines.

The city's rural lines are not standardized and direct connection over these lines is impossible. It follows that a competitor by installing a standard system through the districts already tapped by those lines and by covering additional territory as well could by offering its patrons direct connection put the city's rural lines out of business. If the connection clause stands in the agreement the city must be prepared either to standardize the rural lines or to see the fears of Commissioner Kinnaird realized. The only means of avoiding the dilemma is to cut the clause out of the agreement.

The point is less whether Edmonton will own and operate for all time a rural telephone system as that Edmonton already owns and operates such system and should be cautious about permitting the entrance of competitors into its field.

It may be that the construction of the Bell long distance system with the city system would give temporary benefit to both, but such benefit might be more than discounted by the ultimate disadvantage of permitting encroachment on the rural field of the city's system. It must not be forgotten that outside the Edmonton district the Bell Telephone Co. has a monopoly on the long distance business in the province and that the policy of the company is to extend its system concurrently with the development of the country that a network of Bell lines shall always preclude the possibility of competitors entering the field. The Edmonton rural system, in the stumbling block in the way of that policy, and as long as conditions remain as at present Edmonton holds the key to the telephone situation in the province. The way to maintain the key is to decline to allow the Bell Company to connect with the city system. By so doing Edmonton holds in fact the nucleus of what may well be expected to become a district system under either municipal or Government ownership. The privilege of connection should be at least withheld until a definite policy for the future of the rural system is determined and actually entered upon. When such is done expectations entering the field will be based on sound ground and will have neither the commercial advantage of being pioneers nor the ground on which to demand remuneration for damage to vested interests through the construction of municipal or Government lines throughout the district.

THE ADMINISTRATION OF WESTERN TIMBER

In the debate on the bill to create timber reserves in the Northwest the administration of the timber resources came up for discussion on May 17th. In the debate the Minister of the Interior spoke as follows (Hansard, May 17th):

Judging from the questions that have been asked and the statements that have been made by hon. gentlemen opposite they are under a misapprehension as to what is really the question in regard to timber limits. I do not, therefore, on this side, under a very serious misapprehension. However, there is no doubt that we have established for the information of the country, the view held by our friends on the other side as to the proper end and purpose of governmental control of timber. According to the ideas of these honorable gentlemen the government is to be essentially a tax gatherer, the purpose

of the government in administering the timber of the country is to produce revenue. On that point I think I may safely speak for this side of the House and say that that is not the purpose which this government or the party supporting this government has in view in administering the mechanical timber under its control.

Mr. Oliver—There is quite a difference in principle, there is a difference in point of view. We have hoped that our friends on the other side, in the light of experience, had arrived at a conclusion which we are now endeavoring to be more sane. It appears however that our friends in opposition have never changed their views. As they were twenty years ago, so they are today.

Mr. R. L. Borden—What is the same conclusion at which the Government has arrived?

Mr. Oliver—It is this, that the government administers the natural resources of the country for the benefit of the people. But the honorable gentleman opposite takes the view which has prevailed in Russia for many centuries. It is a view of the function of government which we know prevail in England among that party known as the Tory party. We did hope that our friends opposite, who for many years have been calling themselves liberals, conservatives, and so on, that view and adopted the liberal doctrine with regard to Governmental functions. But I must confess we are disappointed. They have been deceiving in not stirring terms against a certain change made in the regulations governing the disposal of timber on lands coming under the control of this government. These regulations, unlike acts of Parliament, are, by their very nature, subject to change according to circumstances. If the conditions were such, then the disposal of timber on government land would be regulated by Act of Parliament, and these conditions are continually changing the policy has always been followed of administering these timber lands under regulations which will not doubt be continued. A change was made in the regulations which has brought on this storm of adverse criticism of our friends opposite. That change my honorable friend from Argenteuil (Mr. Parly) suggests was made for the monetary benefit of the people who had the timber license.

Mr. Sproule—Hear, hear.
Mr. Oliver—My honorable friend from Grey (Mr. Sproule) says hear, hear. Some honorable members—Hear, hear.

Mr. Oliver—There is a general chorus of "hear, hear," from the other side. Well, let us compare the regulations as they were with the regulations as they are. Under the old regulations the government held the limit holder absolutely at its mercy. His rights were only such as the government chose to concede to him from year to year. A limit holder, sold to him, he paid a bonus for it, he paid a ground rent, he had to pay a royalty on the cut, and the limit could be taken from him at the end of any year; the dam could also be raised and the government could do with him as it pleased. That may be a perfectly feasible and proper policy with regard to the timber reserves of Ontario, which are of such vast extent and the profits on which depend on their access to the outside markets. But it is not a proper policy to apply to the Northwest, where the timber supply is limited and the market is local. Any restriction or any disadvantage put upon the limit holder there prejudices the development of the country and the lumber supply of the people. The great necessity for that country is a plentiful supply of cheap lumber and under the policy embodied in the regulations that formerly prevailed and to which our friends opposite give such unqualified praise, the lumber, which the people want to build with, was not being cut, and they did not get the benefit of it, and had to do without it or pay for it a very high price. Yet our honorable friends declare that that was sound policy.

Mr. W. P. Maclean—Do the present regulations compel the limit holders to cut the lumber and give it to the people?

Mr. Oliver—Certainly not. But they do this. They give a certain security of tenure to the holder of the limit so that he will be warranted as a business man in putting up a mill and cutting the timber. But no business man is expected to do that under the regulations which our friends opposite greet with such approval. If those regulations were carried out, the only redeeming feature with regard to them was that they were never carried out. But they did, as a matter of fact, prevent investment in the manufacture of lumber so insecure as to discourage that industry. They worked, however, to the advantage of those who had mills just as they did to discourage the erection of other mills. In other words, they kept the Northwest lumber in the hands of a monopoly and prevented competition and consequent reduction of prices. Today there are more people in the Territories three times over than there were ten years ago, and they use more lumber in proportion; yet, if my information is not seriously incorrect, lumber is cheaper now than it was then.

Mr. R. L. Borden—Why then, is there this great outcry about the price?

Mr. Oliver—Do my honorable friends opposite maintain that their position is sound? Do they pretend that the government would be benefitting the people by a policy which would have the effect of keeping up the price of lumber by keeping it in the hands of a monopoly? I do think that the people of the Territories will take a different view. I think that they will rather approve the course of this government in making a business-like and common sense arrangement with regard to the cutting of timber on government lands. Our regulations make the putting up of a mill optional with the millholder, they guarantee the continuity of the license, they warrant capitalists in putting their money into the manufacture of lumber. I gave evidence of this in the list of limits least which I read to the house the other day. According to that list only two of those limits which had been let since the present government came into power do not show a cut of timber upon them and the cut on the others ran from many millions of feet. On the other hand, certain limits which were let under these regulations, which our friends opposite have lauded, to the same extent that administration which they claim was perfection in the public interest, the return shows that while the limit holder got the benefit at the price of nothing per acre, the return of the lumber cut upon them is nothing to this day. The regulations as they stand today are common sense regulations; they are according to conditions as they exist in the Northwest today. Conditions may arise in future that will require

their change, and it is a proposal of this Bill to change those conditions in regard to the timber to be cut with the same particular reserves. But applying the regulations in regard to the results achieved by them, as compared to the regulations which preceded them, there is no man acquainted with the circumstances in the Northwest but will hold up both hands for the present regulations as against the regulations which they superseded. I do not know that that has to do particularly with the purpose of this Bill, but if our honorable friends choose to take a political issue out of the difference between the old regulations and the present ones, they cannot choose a ground of appeal to the public of the west which will suit us half so well as that particular one.



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Statistics of Immigration Movement

Winnipeg Free Press: The Immigration returns for the Dominion for the first ten months of the present fiscal year are by all odds the most encouraging and satisfactory ever presented to the people of Canada. In that period 117,587 settlers have come to make their homes in the Dominion. For the corresponding period of last year the number was 99,369, so that there has been an increase of 18,218. This increase, though for but a part of the year, is far in excess of the total immigration to the Dominion ten years ago, when the total arrivals for the whole twelve months aggregated 16,635. This epitomizes in a nutshell the measure of success that has attended the respective regimes of the present government and its predecessor. Under Liberal rule, with two of the heaviest immigration months yet to be considered, the tide of settlement Canada-wide is going several times greater in volume than when their opponents were in office.

This movement has developed until it has become one of the most notable and interesting in current history. Its growth is clearly shown in the following statement compiled from the official records. It is divided into two sections, for purposes of contrast, one dealing with immigration under Conservative rule, and the other with it under the Liberal regime.

Conservative Period.	
Year	Total
1896	24,409
1897	26,894
1898	27,810
1899	29,455
1900	29,680
1901	18,617
1902	16,835
	164,790
Liberal Period.	
1896-7	21,716
1897-8	31,969
1898-9	41,543
1899-00	23,895
1900-01	49,149
1901-02	67,379

Budget of Western News

Moore Jaw Times: The announcement made some days ago by the C.P.R. that a change had taken place in their plans regarding the Moose Jaw-Edmonton line, comes as a surprise and as a great disappointment to the people of Moose Jaw city and especially to the new settlers scattered along the proposed route of the road for seventy-five or a hundred miles. The first plan of the C.P.R. was to construct this line to Edmonton, via Lacombe, thus giving the company the most direct line from the Alberta Capital to St. Paul. Twenty miles of the Moose Jaw end was constructed and operated last fall, but it now appears that further construction has been indefinitely postponed. The Lacombe end of this line will connect with the line running northwest from a point near Medicine Hat.

In an interview in New Westminster, Rev. Dr. Potts of Toronto superintendent of Education for the Methodist church stated that the Methodist church in Canada intended to have universal church in British Columbia, Alberta and Saskatchewan, federated to the provincial university, in the same way that Victoria, in Toronto, and Wesley in Manitoba are federated to the provincial universities.

Nor West Farmer: H. A. Mullins, the well-known and popular live stock commission agent of this city informs us that an important live stock firm of Bernese, Switzerland, intends to co-operate in western Canada this season. This firm wants only young, well bred and well finished cattle, and will take about 600 head a week during the shipping season, if that number of cattle of satisfactory quality can be secured. This is a new and important requirement and promises to be a profitable outlet for Canadian cattle.

Lethbridge News: Attorney-General Cross stated that the Alberta Government has decided to form a new judicial district to include Lethbridge, Medicine Hat, and Cardston, with headquarters at Lethbridge. The officials will be a clerk of the court and a sheriff. Malcolm Young has been nominated for sheriff. The clerk of the court has not yet been named. Mr. Cross did not know whether the clerk

1902-03 128,364
1903-04 130,330
1904-05 146,268
1905-06 117,587
761,109

*Returns for 1899-1900 are for six months only. Returns for 1905-6 are for ten months only.

From the foregoing table it will be seen that the average annual immigration for the last seven years of Conservative rule was about 23,500, while that for the less than nine and a half years covered by the returns is about 77,000, or more than three times as great.

Nothing is more remarkable, in connection with this inflow of population, than the growth of the movement of Americans towards the prairie provinces of Canada—the "Last West." It was a movement non-existent prior to the coming of the Liberals to office, for the paltry 46 American settlers recorded as having come north make a total so insignificant as to be farcical. From these beginnings the movement has developed until the Americans are tumbling into Canada at the rate of over 4,000 a month. Last month no less than 11,336 citizens of the republic took up their homes in the Dominion. That the movement has not yet reached its climax is attested by the fact that 11,268 more American settlers have located in Canada during the past ten months than for the corresponding period of last year.

To the Dominion as a whole and to the western sections of it in particular, these monthly reports of continued and increasing immigration constitute perhaps the most satisfactory news issued from official sources. When coupled with the rapid expansion of trade, the general success of all industries, the satisfactory bank statements, the increased railway mileage, the extending acreage under crop, the growth of buildings and the general mercantile prosperity, they demonstrate that western Canada is certain of continued prosperity, and that she is with ever-increasing alacrity taking that position in the Canadian confederation for which her unrivalled agricultural resources and the energy and industry of her people qualify her.

of the court would be authorized to hear small debt cases. He did not think a new building would be erected here by the province; the existing court house would be used. As to the land titles office, Mr. Cross could not say yet what would be done.

Calgary Herald: Pedestrians on Thursday noticed a type-written document appended to one of the telegraph poles on Ninth avenue, inviting all the Jews of the city to congregate at the office of Rabbi Hobbs, an individual who is not generally known in the city and spoken of among the Hebrews as a "missionary." At twelve o'clock, midnight, of Victoria day, a knock was heard at the door of Jacob Diamond, wholesale liquor vendor on 8th avenue and a query from some one outside in the dark as to the location of the said Rabbi. Mr. Diamond remained in bed and let the intruder pass on. He told the Herald this morning that the Jews in Calgary "were not looking for missionaries, and didn't need any Rabbi." A meeting is to be held tomorrow to consider securing a butcher to kill the meat of the Jews, as it is sacrilegious for a Jew to eat Gentile beef. The growing numbers of the Jews seems to require this, as there are now about 50 in the city. At a later date a synagogue will be organized for regular worship.

Lethbridge News: Edmonton and Calgary are going in for lacrosse this year but they will have to travel to beat the gall the Lethbridge team has struck. This is not bragging; it is just a plain statement of fact.

WANT THE LAW AMENDED
Calgary Albertan: The license commissioners held another session at the city hall on Saturday afternoon and the balance of the applications acted on. No licenses were refused but it was found that practically every hotel in Calgary was breaking the law in some slight respect or another. The licenses will be issued conditionally on these matters being remedied.

The commissioners were of the opinion that there were too many bars in Calgary where the hotel was run simply for the purpose of obtaining a license; they therefore, passed the following resolution: "That the commissioners of the license district are of the opinion that section 24 of the Liquor License Ordinance should be amended to read, 'In incorporated cities and towns no license be granted to any hotel that has less than thirty bedrooms in addition to what may be needed for the family and servants of the hotel keeper.'"

FOSTER'S FORECASTS.
Washington, D. C., May 26. — Last bulletin gave forecasts of disturbance to cross continent 26 to 30, warm wave 25 to 29, cool wave 28 to June 1.

Next disturbance will reach Pacific coast about 30, cross west of Rockies country by close of 31, great central valleys June 1, eastern states 3. Cool wave will cross west of Rockies about June 2, great central valleys 4, eastern states 6.

The distinguishing feature of this disturbance will be its great hot wave, which will affect the whole continent, beginning in the Pacific states on or a little before June 1. This general hot period will cover this and the following storm wave, a moderate cool wave coming in between them, and will close within a few days of June 3, with severe storms followed by a great fall in temperatures. This hot wave will cause alarm in the corn belt and eastern part of the cotton belt.

Second disturbance of June will reach Pacific coast about 4, cross west of Rockies by close of 5, great central valleys 6 to 7, eastern states 9. Warm wave will cross west of Rockies about 4, great central valleys 6, eastern states 8. Cool wave will cross west of Rockies about 7, great central valleys 9, eastern states 11.

This and the preceding disturbance will develop more than the usual intensities and the interesting feature of this last disturbance will be the breaking up of the hot wave and a partial breaking of the drouth in the corn belt. The storms of this disturbance will be more severe than those of the last one, but they are not expected to be very dangerous.

The hottest parts of June will come the first week and the last days of the month. From June 15 to 26 the temperature will average below normal, very cool not far from 16 to 19. Temperatures of the month are expected to average much below normal in the northeast quarter of the United States and in eastern Canada, including the vicinity of the great lakes, and much above normal in the southeast, including all the territory adjacent to Texas. In other sections about normal.

I expect rainfall of June to be about normal in the northeastern states, and eastern Canada, above normal in Texas and Mississippi and below normal in all other sections east of the Rockies. This drouth is not expected to be very severe in June, but it will put the soil of many localities in such condition that the crops cannot withstand a continuation of the drouth through July should such conditions continue. The corn belt, the spring wheat belt and the east half of the cotton belt will get the worst effects of this June drouth. The most severe storms of June are expected 11 to 15 and 25 to 30. Exceedingly cool 16 to 19, most rain 7 to 17, dry 28 to 30.

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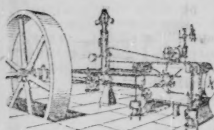
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Provincial Department of Agriculture Outlines Plans of Combating the Pest

Damage by cutworms to grain, and garden crops having been reported from various parts of Alberta, the Provincial Department of Agriculture makes the following suggestions towards combating the attack:

Cutworms are the larvae of certain moths and their habit is to feed at night and remain an inch or so below the surface of the ground in the daytime. A thorough harrowing will turn many of them up to the surface and if this is done on a warm, sunny day and the harrowing is followed by a roller, a good many of the creatures will be crushed.

For gardens, beetfields and other small areas, Dr. Fletcher, Botanist and Entomologist of the Dominion Experimental Farms, recommends placing here and there bundles of any succulent weed or other vegetation, such as alfalfa, which have been dipped in a mixture of paris green and water, one ounce to a pail. The cutworms eat the poisoned plants, then bury themselves and die. In hot, dry weather these bundles should be put out after sundown and a shingle may be placed on each to keep it from wilting.

Cabbages and other garden transplants should be planted with a piece of stout paper or tin around them. This prevents the caterpillars getting to the plants. If paper is used, it should be wrapped loosely around the stem, just above the root so that it will not interfere with the growth of the plant, and may be easily lifted away after the plants are established and the danger of attack is over. Hand-picking or digging out the cutworm whenever a plant is seen to be cut off, should of course always be practised.

Dr. Fletcher says the most remarkably effective remedy against cutworms is poisoned bran-mash. This is made by mixing half a pound of paris green with fifty pounds of slightly moistened bran.

To make it, dampen a little of the bran with water containing a little sugar, dust on some of the paris green, and go on adding bran, paris green and water till the mixture is all made up. When ready for use it should run easily through the fingers without adhering.

In gardens, a little of this can be sprinkled by hand around such plants as are liable to attack. When crops are planted in rows, a convenient way is to make the mixture rather dry, and then distribute it by means of a Planet Jr. or other wheel seeder.

In growing crops the mixture can be distributed by means of a shingle, and can be easily thrown to a distance of twenty feet.

Care should be taken to prevent domestic animals having access to the poisoned bran; although cases of injury from the mixture are extremely rare, and indeed it is questionable if there is really an authentic case on record of poultry being poisoned by this remedy, yet some precaution is always wise.

REVENUE AND TAXATION.

Toronto Globe: The Opposition has a hard task if it seeks to persuade the country that the Government is in some way responsible for the fact that the revenue from taxation was last year \$38,300,000 greater than it was in 1935. The Government, it tells us, has "erased" this from the people. The phrase will not stand a moment's examination. Hon. Mr. Peterson, Minister of Customs, paid marked attention to this side of Mr. Foster's speech and showed conclusively how misleading were his references to it.

The revenue from all sources have greatly increased but it is not owing to increased taxation. The taxation is considerably lower now than in 1935. The customs duties, for example, which are the chief source of revenue from taxation, were \$18.28 on the hundred in 1935 and but \$16.84 in 1936. If the rate of 1935 had been collected on the importations of 1936 the people of Canada would have contributed \$1,500,000 more than they actually did in that year. The fact is that taxation has lessened, although revenue therefrom has increased—a quite familiar economic phenomenon.

By our methods of indirect taxation Governments cannot "write" money out of the people. The national revenues of Canada depend largely on the quantity of the dutiable goods that the people buy. The Government has no means of forcing the people to buy much or little. The fact is that the people purchase freely when they are prosperous. When the farmers and workmen are doing well they will buy more commodities and maybe more exactly commodities, and in purchasing they contribute to the national revenue. The share taken by the Liberal Government is considerably less than that taken by its predecessors. This is no matter of opinion but of incontrovertible arithmetic.

But Mr. Cockshutt, who followed Mr. Peterson, speaking for the Conservative Opposition, has a sovereign remedy for redundant revenues. He would so increase the duties that the inflow of commodities would be checked. In other words, he would so increase the prices of things the people buy that they would perforce buy less of them. Mr. Cockshutt will argue that an increase of duties would not cause an increase of prices. If he can persuade himself to that effect, he cannot persuade any man who still retains the faculty of clear thinking. A policy which proposes to increase the general prosperity by limiting the purchasing power of the people's earnings is one that will scarcely commend itself to this day and generation.

Fortunately a Liberal Government has been able to demonstrate triumphantly the success of the opposite method. We have had ten years of good times under a comparatively low tariff. Our manufacturers are doing well. Our artisans are employed. The settlers on whose success the whole fabric of our national progress depends, and to whom the cost of necessities is so vitally important, are given a chance. And, lastly, an abundant revenue permits of these national enterprises which are making Canada populous, strong and self-sufficient. Mr. Cockshutt's policy would arrest the millions which are building up the country into the pockets of a few Carnegies and Rockefellers, so that before many years we would be face to face with the problems which are breeding class hatreds in the United States.

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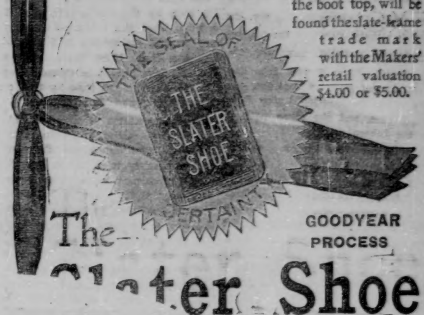
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Winnipeg Free Press: The fact that the Soo road is making such a strong bid for the St. Paul-Winnipeg mail service is undoubtedly the cause of the order recently placed by the Great Northern with the Baldwin Locomotive Works for five new locomotives of the latest type for speed and strength, two essential features for passenger service, says the Journal of Commerce. The engines are what is known as the cross over compound and the best in the business at the present time. These engines are expected soon and it is rumored that when they are delivered some more important changes will be made in the present schedule to the Canadian city. At least two of these engines will be placed on the northern division to haul the Winnipeg limited. The management of the Soo will learn that they have a white elephant on their hands when they attempt to whip the Great Northern out of the Winnipeg business. One of the eagle eyes of the Northern division says it is possible to cut two hours from the St. Paul-Winnipeg schedule, and when this is done somebody will have to go home.

The statements of the Bank of Montreal, issued semi-annually, are always interesting documents. The latest one, covering the half year ending April 30th, shows the net profits to have been \$840,000, or \$120,000 more than the dividends requirements. This brings their profit and loss balance up to \$922,000, so it is fair to presume that with the end of the next six months they will add another million dollars to their reserve account, making it \$11,000,000 in all. The policy of the bank is not to increase the dividends, no matter what the earnings may be; and as a matter of fact it is hard to say what their real earnings are for certainly the annual statement does not show them. For instance, the bank's buildings account stands at \$600,000, the same as it has for many years back. As indicating even an approximate value of the bank's real estate the amount is absurd. Within three years' time the bank has expended a good deal upward of a million dollars upon the head office building on St. James street, Montreal, not to mention what has been spent upon numerous other branches throughout the country. Of course, no one outside the main office is in a position to state positively, but it would be well within the mark to place the big institution's real estate holdings at upwards of \$5,000,000. The bank never purchases anything but the very best locations and places thereon structures which are a credit to them. But no matter how big the expenditure the statements never give even an inkling. "I believe in that policy," said Sir George Drummond, president of the bank. "It's not what a building costs, but what it would bring at a forced sale; what it would be worth as an asset to the stockholders in the worst of bad times. When an institution is able to bury a sum equal to more than one-third of its paid-up capital in real estate without showing a cent of it upon the annual statement or without decreasing the net earnings to any visible extent, it gives at least a glimpse of what a power in the monetary world the Bank of Montreal is."

1906

30th April

BANK OF MONTREAL

Statement of the result of the business of the Bank for the half year ended 30th April, 1906.

Balance of Profit and Loss Account, 31st October, 1905.	\$ 801,555.41
Profits for the half year ended 30th April, 1906, after deducting charges of management, and making full provision for all bad and doubtful debts	840,562.50
	\$1,642,418.31
Quarterly Dividend 2 1/2 per cent paid March 1, 1906	\$360,000.00
Quarterly Dividend 2 1/2 per cent payable June 1, 1906	36,000.00
	\$720,000.00
Balance of Profit and Loss carried forward	\$ 922,418.31
NOTE—The Market price of Bank of Montreal stock, April 30, 1906—257 and half per cent.	

GENERAL STATEMENT

30th April, 1906.

LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock	\$14,400,000.00
Reserve	10,000,000.00
Balance of profits carried forward	922,418.31
Unclaimed Dividends	10,922,418.31
Half-yearly Dividend, payable 1st June, 1906	36,000.00
	\$13,283,376.32
Notes of the Bank in circulation	\$ 9,508,345.00
Deposits not bearing interest	26,311,390.04
Deposits bearing interest	84,334,592.83
	\$120,151,327.87
Balances due to other Banks in Canada	\$ 84,837,704.19

ASSETS

Gold and Silver coin current	\$ 5,530,806.05
Government demand notes	5,432,373.00
Deposits with foreign Governments required by act of Parliament for security of general bank note circulation	507,000.00
Due by agencies of this bank and other banks in Great Britain	\$ 2,767,574.51
Due by agencies of this bank and other banks in Foreign Countries	8,425,568.35
Call and short Loans in Great Britain and United States	23,861,546.00
Dominion and Provincial Government Securities	29,554,688.86
Railway and other Bonds, debentures and stocks	8,211,595.37
Notes and checks of other Banks	3,079,140.24
Bank Premises at Montreal and Branches	557,157,386.59
Current Loans and Discounts in Canada and elsewhere (rebat interest reserved) and other assets	149,267.33
Debits secured by mortgages or otherwise	146,188.16
Overdue debts not specially secured (loss provided for)	91,834,317.30
	\$145,837,704.19

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LOCAL

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—The new piano warerooms of the Douglas Co. were opened on Saturday.
—Football game to-night on Second street grounds, Edmonton vs Strathcona.

—A lecture will be delivered by Rev. Dr. Creves in McDougall church this evening. All young people are invited.
—Dr. A. B. Mason, D. D. S., formerly of Ottawa, has opened dental parlors over the Northern Bank.

—If the man who gave his coat to Mr. Macdonald at the fire at Robertson's hall will call at Macdonald's drug store, he will receive the same.

—C. V. Semerak, an aldermanic candidate, will address a meeting of German in German Hall this evening at eight o'clock.

—The following new members were added to the Board of Trade at yesterday's meeting: Dr. Smith, D. Edgar, G. W. Swaisland, E. B. Edwards, K. C., and Mr. Copeland.

—The board of directors of the Y. M. C. A. met at the residence of Dr. Smith last evening and made final arrangements for the systematic canvass of the business men of the city for subscriptions towards the new building.

—Alberta College Literary Society has just issued a souvenir of their paper. It is an excellent number, one of the finest productions of the printers' art that has appeared in the west. They are on sale at Douglas bookstore.

—The city police have as yet been unsuccessful in unravelling the mystery of the disappearance of the belt containing \$500 which belonged to Mr. Bradshaw, a guest at the Queen's. The Quelt was missed by Mr. Bradshaw from his room at the Queen's last Thursday night.

—A baseball game will be played on Thursday evening between Strathcona and Edmonton on the Strathcona grounds at 6.30. The Mayor of Strathcona will throw the first ball and the Strathcona band will be in attendance.

—Mr. Vernon Banford's pupils give their fifty-seventh recital in "All Saints" schoolroom at half-past eight to-night. They will be assisted by Mr. E. W. Manlie, who will sing, Campbell's "Love, could I only tell thee," and Needham's "Irish Lullaby."

—A full attendance of all officers, non-coms., and men now enrolled, in "A" squadron, C. M. R., is requested at the armory, Second street, this evening, when the squadron will be put through recruit drill. Drill will be held each evening from now on until the beginning of camp. An officer to present every evening at the armory for the purpose of enrolling any who wish to join.

—The souvenir number of "College Echoes," the journal published by the students of Alberta College, has just been issued from the Bulletin jobroom. The souvenir is of an artistic finish, and is a handsome number. The half-tones are printed on heavy-coated cream paper, and in double-tone ink. The cuts include those of the faculty, and the various classes and athletic teams of the College, and the write-up includes biographies of students, etc.

—John Paul of the Palm cigar store, leaves this afternoon for Portland, Oregon, where he will be the party of the first part in a life contract to be entered into between him and a young lady of that city. They will spend their honeymoon visiting the Coast cities and viewing the scenic grandeur of the Kootenays, and when they return to Edmonton, will take up housekeeping in the handsome residence which Mr. Paul recently built overlooking the Saskatchewan in the east end.

—Regina Leader: It is arranged that the Lieutenant-Governor will visit the Legislative Assembly this morning in state and dismiss the members after the arduous labors of their first session. Yesterday the members worked overtime in order to finish the business and have the whole of the 7th or 8th bills ready to receive His Honor's assent, and the members were kept in attendance until one o'clock this morning. There was no time wasted during the day, however, and only one or two matters were the subject of more than a word or two of discussion.

A Note of Credit

Calgary, May 26th, 1906.
Editor Daily Bulletin,
Edmonton, Alberta:

My Dear Sir,—Will you very kindly allow me space in your valued paper to thank the people of Edmonton for the very generous patronage bestowed on the occasion of the recent Albani concert. The success of the concert was in the greatest measure due to the efforts of Mr. H. Stutchbury, who represented me in Edmonton.

I trust in the event of my again visiting Alberta's capital with a high class attraction, that I may be so fortunate as to procure the assistance of Mr. Stutchbury, and that the patronage may be even greater than on the first occasion.

Thanking you, I am,
Yours respectfully,

F. G. SPENCER.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

St. A. Allison, of Calgary, is at the Alberta.

H. W. B. Douglas returned yesterday from a holiday trip to Banff.

Jas. Sheppard, of Pincher Creek, is registered at the Queen's.

J. J. Weir, of Regina, is a guest at the Queen's.

Dr. Goodwin, of Vegreville, is registered at the Imperial.

Miss Rose Taylor gave a tea on Monday afternoon in honor of Miss Howe of Calgary.

Mrs. Bulvey will entertain the Women's musical club on Saturday afternoon at Government House.

The Misses Sullivan left last evening on the C.N.R. for Vermillion.

Mrs. J. W. Mould will receive for the first time tomorrow afternoon at her home on Fourth street and afterwards on the first and third Thursday of the month.

Mock Parliament

The first session of the mock parliament of the Young Men's Liberal club, was held last evening. Every member was in his place in the House and the opening ceremonies were performed in a manner that would do credit to any parliament. His Honor Lieutenant-Governor Fortin, was announced by P. Burley, A.D.C., who was attired in full military uniform. John Robertson, was Sergeant at Arms and carried the Mace with all the dignity due the historic emblem of authority. Wallace Williamson, acting in his place, uniform, was on duty and many of his suggestions were valuable to the new legislators in the performance of their duties. Mr. Ross is clerk of the House and his experience as assistant in the Alberta legislature, is a very great assistance. The Governor declined, through Provincial Secretary Palmer, to open the Legislature until a Speaker was elected. On motion of Premier Strong and Attorney-General Robertson the member for High River was elected speaker, and upon his taking the chair His Honor returned and read the speech from the throne in a clear and distinct voice, giving to the performance a business-like air. The speech outlined a comprehensive program comprising government railway construction, increased representation in the legislature, loaning money to farmers at a low rate of interest, the introduction of a woman suffrage law, the establishment of a system of government life insurance, the taxation of railways, a succession duties act, the introduction of the metric system and several other minor measures.

Notice was given by the attorney-general of a bill for increased representation in the legislature, and by the Minister of Public Works of a bill for the construction of a Railway from Edmonton to Vermillion on the Peace River.

The member for St. Albert (G. B. O'Connor) then rose to move the address in reply to the speech from the throne. His speech was a very good one and his amusing comparisons concerning members of the opposition were taken rather seriously by the latter, evidently forgetting that the member for St. Albert is Irish. The seconding of the address was delegated to the member for Carleton Place (C. A. Grant) who went after the opposition with an axe and amused the House with a few rather striking illustrations.

In reply the leader of the opposition (Geo. McLeod) criticized the biblical quotations of the mover and then proceeded to give evidence that he, himself, had once been to Sunday school. He reviewed the speech from the throne in a very capable manner, at times criticizing somewhat severely and at others offering support to measures he believed to be for the public welfare. He was followed by Premier Strong, who ably defended the proposed legislation outlined in the speech and gave evidence that he would stand by the program and see it through.

The member for Peace River (Henderson) went after the government with the ferocity of a grizzly bear of the north. His many sallies at the government expense were enjoyed by all present. The independent member for Sturgeon (Thom) followed in a judicial speech which rather favored the government policy and strongly supported woman suffrage. The member for Vermillion (Broderick) defended the government and got back at the man from the far north on the succession duties act. The independent member for Leduc (Walker) criticized the Government and opposed the proposed legislation regarding insurance and woman suffrage.

The member for Gleichen (Greene) moved the adjournment of the debate and the House adjourned till Friday evening at 8 p.m.

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